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Applicant : Manfred Engelhardt

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Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office action dated September 19, 2002, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

✓ / Enter the new title - INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CONFIGURATION USING SPACERS AS A DIFFUSION BARRIER AND METHOD OF PRODUCING SUCH AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CONFIGURATION -

✓ Replace the paragraph on page 1, lines 6-8, with -